

Church of St. Joachim – St. John the Evangelist

March 22, 2009

Vigil: Fourth Sunday of Lent

		4:30 p.m.	Our Beloved Deceased	Olga Mihanowich
		5:30 p.m.	Mike Orsini	Butch & Maureen Hoyt
Sun.	Mar. 22		Fourth Sunday of Lent	
		7:30 a.m.	Egidio B. "GG" Spacone	Lois & Charles Heady
		9:00 a.m.	Ave Wolfe	Mike & Ginny Soltish
		10:30 a.m.	Anne Ticehurst	Josephine Scadura
	Spanish	12:00 p.m.	Special Intention	
		12:00 p.m.	Anne Giordano	Marcia & Roland Santovenia
		6:00 p.m.	Patrick Coyle Connelly	Sheila Mailler
Mon.	Mar. 23		Lenten Weekday	
		7:00 a.m.	Mike Orsini	John & Mary Goodall
		8:00 a.m.	Helen Donnelly	Catholic Daughters, #704
		7:00 p.m.	Richard J. Sassi	Mr. & Mrs. James Bentivegna
Tues.	Mar. 24		Lenten Weekday	
		7:00 a.m.	Agnes Ballo Murner	
		8:00 a.m.	Mayen & Gallagher Families	Donna & John Christian
		7:00 p.m.	Adele Cartwright	Hallam Derx & Marie Puvogel
Wed.	Mar. 25		Annunciation of the Lord	
		7:00 a.m.	Larkin & Keto Families	Gene Larkin
		8:00 a.m.	Marie Simmonds	Chip & Patty Milkovich
		7:00 p.m.	Special Intention	
Thurs.	Mar. 26		Lenten Weekday	
		7:00 a.m.	Kathleen Darcy Esposito	Betty LaColla
		8:00 a.m.	Helen Donnelly	Bridget & Thomas DeMercurio
		7:00 p.m.	Rev. Martin J. Connolly	Betty Hopper
Fri.	Mar. 27		Lenten Weekday	
		7:00 a.m.	Florence Sensel	Peggy Barry
		8:00 a.m.	Henry Grippo	His wife
		7:00 p.m.	Mary C. Adams	Bob & Anne Adams
Sat.	Mar. 28		Lenten Weekday	
		8:00 a.m.	Ave Wolfe	Nancy Condon
		9:00 a.m.	Jeanne Puvogel	Marcia Santovenia
			Vigil: Fifth Sunday of Lent	
		4:30 p.m.	Mr. & Mrs. Michael Orsini	Paul & Jackie Eraca
		5:30 p.m.	Chester Baginski	Mary Jane Daley
			Fifth Sunday of Lent	
Sun.	Mar. 29	7:30 a.m.	Patrick Connelly	Jean & Bob Haight
		9:00 a.m.	Ave Wolfe	The Van Tassel Family
		10:30 a.m.	Mike & Lucy Orsini	Bridget Giavatto
	Spanish	12:00 p.m.	Special Intention	
		12:00 p.m.	Steven Perrotto	Kathy Whalen
		6:00 p.m.	George Butler	Elizabeth Marcinak

Sacramentals

Sanctuary Lamp: St. Joachim's – Joseph Kochay, Casimir & Karol Dokurno

Sanctuary Lamp: St. John's – Leeann & Simon Lee Antalek, Anthony Melfi, Richard Pendleton,
Anthony & Rose Romanelli

Bread & Wine: St. Joachim's –

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Altar Candles: St. Joachim's – Gen Price

Altar Candles: St. John's – Veronica Norstrom

Rose for Life: St. Joachim's – Michael Scoba, Sr.,

Rose for Life: St. John's – Rose & Francis Donnelly, Joseph Romanelli

Parish Mission

To expand and improve our Catholic faith community by responding with compassion and understanding to the spiritual and corporal needs of our parishioners and neighbors in the name of Jesus Christ.

Revenue Sharing Program

Grand Prize Winners: Congratulations!

\$1,000 – Al Miller

\$500 – Mike & Mary Connelly

A Lenten Reminder:

**Morning Prayer at 7:45 at St. John's,
Evening Mass at 7:00, Mon. thru Fri.
at St. Joachim's.**

**Stations of the Cross; Fridays
at 7:00 pm at St. John's in Spanish, and
at 7:30 pm at St. Joachim's in English.**

**Please note that there will be no closing
hymn at the Sunday Masses during Lent.**

**We should all take advantage of this
opportunity to leave quietly while
meditating on the meaning of Lent, or to
spend a few extra minutes in quiet
reflection.**

Attendance

Mar. 15, 2009

1,086

Mar. 16, 2008

1,460

This Week's Events

**Sunday
Religious Ed
Youth Groups**

**Monday
Religious Ed**

Broadway Musical, "West Side Story"

Sold out!! If you reserved a ticket, please remit \$167 per person to Marianne Dahl, 20 Rende Drive, Beacon. Checks should be made payable to St. Joachim - St. John's Church.

Sr. Kathy to Speak

This weekend, Mar. 21 & 22, Sr. Kathy Maire, OSF will speak at all the Masses on behalf of her mission to Guatemala. She will appreciate your prayers and your generosity.

Easter Items

The St. Vincent de Paul Society will be collecting Easter items for the area's needy. Donations of baskets, toys, books, candy, etc. may be left in the boxes in the rear of the churches.

CHRISM MASS

The Chrism Mass at St. Patrick's Cathedral will be on Tues., April 7. A bus will leave St. John's at 1:00 pm and arrive back in Beacon at approximately 10 pm. The cost for the bus is \$18 per person. If you are interested in attending please call the parish office to make reservations.

Lenten Information

Fasting – prescribes only one full meal plus two small ones to maintain strength. The two small meals should not equal a full meal in quantity. Obliges from 18th to 59th birthdays.

Abstinence forbids eating meat on a particular day. Obliges from 14th birthday.

Ash Wednesday and Good Friday are days of fast and abstinence.

All Fridays in Lent are days of abstinence.

There is a serious obligation to observe these penitential practices in a serious way.

Revenue Sharing Program

The **new program** began on March 8. Envelopes have been mailed to past participants. A few additional envelopes are available in the rear of the churches for anyone who would like to join this program. Weekly prize is \$25. Grand prizes are \$1,000 and \$500 at the end of 20 weeks. You must be paid up-to-date to be eligible to win a prize.

Lenten Dinners

On the Fridays of Lent, from 4:30 to 8:00 pm at the Knights of Columbus Hall, catered by Papa Joe. Choice of three entrees. Call 247-5170 or 831-0445 for additional information or for reservations.

To serve your needs better, Fr. Nolan would like to know:

- Of any parishioner who is hospitalized
- Of anyone in need of prayer
- Of anyone who would like a pastoral visit

Our parish priests and the Special Ministers of Holy Communion bring the Eucharist to our ill parishioners. The Sacraments of the Sick and Reconciliation are also available from our priests on their visits. If you or someone you know is in need of the Sacraments, please call the parish office.

Through the Outreach Program – Parish Volunteers provide supportive and practical services for seniors and other persons who are in need. These include friendly visiting, telephone reassurance, shopping, and local medical transportation/escort. *Drivers are needed for the Outreach Program for doctor's appointments. If you are able to help please call the parish office.*

Pray for the Sick and Homebound:

Emily Adams, Mino Aibara, Lorraine Barnett, Deborah Bonnell, Howard Brink, Marilyn Brown, Victoria Burke, Bill Coatney, Santo Calabro, Christine Connelly, Michael Connelly, Ramona Concessao, Noah Corey, Cornelius D'Aprile, Gilda D'Aprile, Christina DeDonato, Eileen Deighan, Jack DiSimone, Hilda D'Silva, Jeffrey Dolan, Christine Ferguson, Valarian Fernandes, Russell Fullen, Marie Ann Gama, Antonina Giavatto, Tomasso Giavatto, Mary Gold, Angelina Gromkowski, James Hicks, Donna Juliano, Johnna Kelly, Jim Killeen, Linda Konko, Eileen Malik, Ruth Matthews, Venita Martis, Bridget McGrath, Harriet Mianti, Loretta Oppitz, Diane Pavelock, Jean Pettorossi, Harriett Policella, James Schettino, Kitty Smith, Lawrence Solomon, Teresa Solomon, Nick Steffanci, Kathleen Tobin, Dorethea Tompson, Jean Torrie, Carla Tranberg, Thomas Trochan, Jr., Patricia Trible, Robin Verdile, Stephen Vitek, Stephen Wiercinski, Joseph Wasnorowicz, and Taylor Weiss.

And also our friends in McClelland's, Elant at Fishkill, Wingate at Beacon, Forrestal Heights, Hamilton Fish, and Meadow Ridge II.

Recently Deceased:

We pray for the people who have recently died and ask God to grant their families and loved ones the strength to carry on until we all join God in the Resurrection:

Ordination of Marty Mayeski as a Deacon

Will take place on Saturday, June 13 at St. Patrick's Cathedral. The parish will sponsor a bus for those who would like to attend. The bus will leave St. John's at 6:30 that morning for the 9 o'clock ordination Mass. We expect to return before 1 pm. Please call the Parish Office to sign-up.

Our Parish Cemetery

Thanks to all those who helped clean up the cemetery this weekend to help us maintain the beauty and peaceful appearance of our parish cemetery as a place of rest and hope.

Annual Cardinal's Appeal

\$1.5 million of the Cardinal's Appeal is set aside for Charities that provide services such as; serving about 5.3 million meals in parishes and communities, providing safe after school programs for 2,800 children and helping 4,700 individuals with job training and placement. Please be as generous as your means allow. Pledges may be paid over a five-month period. If you choose this option, reminder bills will be sent directly to you monthly from the Appeal Office. You will have an opportunity to make your pledge during today's "in-pew" weekend. Already, 75 families in our parish have pledged \$12,560. Thank you.

Economy

To better use your parish monies, we will be making some additional cutbacks in expenses. For example, we will have fewer flowers on the altars for Easter, and fewer extra musicians for Palm Sunday and Easter (but both the decorations and music will still be beautiful). Holy water bottles will not be distributed this year. Parishioners may refill those they have at home from the Holy Water fonts at the rear of the churches.

Mass for Couples Married 50 Years During 2009

The Annual Golden Wedding Jubilee Celebration will take place on Sunday, May 3 at 2:00 pm at the Cathedral of St. Patrick. Pre-registration is required. Please contact the parish office to register. The closing date for registration is April 17.

Pancake Breakfast for Girls 12-U, 14-U and 16-U travel Softball Teams

sponsored by Lewis Tompkins Hose Company, Sunday, March 22, 8:00 am - 12:00 pm at Lewis Tompkins Hose, 13 South Ave Beacon. Parking off Rte 9D/Wolcott Ave. Prices: Adults \$6, Kids 5-12 \$4. Children 4 and under are free. Scrambled eggs, bacon, sausage, coffee, tea & juice being served. Contact, Michele Rios, Beacon Girls Softball Fundraising Coordinator, 845-242-5762.

Catholics Returning Home

St. Denis Church, 610 Beekman Rd., Hopewell Jct., will offer a six-week series entitled "Catholics Returning Home" beginning April 15, 7:30-9:00 pm, in the Rectory Meeting Room. The sessions are for non-practicing Catholics who are seeking answers to questions about returning to the Church. If you know someone who has left the Church, please invite them to join us. For more information, call Deacon Enrico at 227-8382.

St. Mary School in Fishkill is Hosting a Spring Gala Dinner Dance

at the Dutchess Manor on Sat., Mar. 28th, at 6:30 pm. Dinner and dancing to the Michael Dell Orchestra. Silent Auction and raffle items featuring items from Hudson Valley shops, restaurants, golf and more! Ad space is available in our Gala Journal. All proceeds to benefit the academic programs of St. Mary School in Fishkill. Tickets are \$45 per person. For info or reservations, please call Anne Machado at 896-2765.

Bereavement Stations of the Cross Service

On April 1, beginning at 7:30 pm, St. Denis Church, Hopewell Junction will hold a special Stations of the Cross Service for anyone who has lost a loved one. For information call 845-223-3097.

Active Parenting of Teens

The cutting edge Active Parenting of Teens Program will give you guidance and support to turn

the challenges of raising a teenager into opportunities for growth. Contact St. Mary's Church in Fishkill at 896-6400.

Parish Retreat at St. Mary's, Fishkill

Msgr. Martin, Pastor of St. Mary's, has issued an invitation for our parishioners to participate in St. Mary's Parish Retreat, "A Time of Grace," April 19 through April 22. Each session will begin at 7:30 and last 1 1/2 hours. The retreat will be led by Rev. Michael P. Sullivan of St. Thomas Monastery, Villanova University. The themes are: Sunday evening – To Be Born Again, Monday evening – The Healing Love of Jesus (confessions will be offered), Tuesday evening – The Call to be Church, and Wednesday evening – Our Response to the Call.

Benefit (BVAC) Brunch

Today, Sunday March 22, 2009 at Dutchess Manor. Hosted by the Coris family - all proceeds donated to BVAC. Seatings at 10:30am and 12:30pm. Tickets are \$18-adults / \$15-seniors / \$12-children. Tickets are available at the door.

Holy Week Schedule

Reconciliation

Monday, March 30

7:30 pm	Parish Penance Service	St. Joachim's
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Easter Triduum

Holy Thursday, April 9

9:00 am	Tenebrae	St. John's
7:30 pm	Evening Mass of the Lord's Supper (Bilingual)	St. Joachim's
8:45 pm	Altar of Repose	St. Joachim's

Good Friday, April 10

9:00 am	Tenebrae	St. John's
12 pm	Contemporary Stations of the Cross	St. John's
3:00 pm	Stations of the Cross (Centurion's View) Followed by Veneration of the Cross	St. Joachim's
4:00 pm	Spanish Way of the Cross (Via Crucis) Procession through Beacon to St. John's Followed by Veneration of the Cross	St. Joachim's
7:30 pm	Celebration of the Lord's Passion (Bilingual)	St. John's

Holy Saturday, April 11

9:00 am	Tenebrae	St. John's
12 pm	Blessing of Food	St. John's
5:30 pm	Children's Mass	St. John's
7:30 pm	Easter Vigil	St. Joachim's

Easter Sunday, April 12

7:30 am, 10:30 am, 12 pm (Spanish)	St. John's
9:00 am, 12 pm	St. Joachim's
NO 6 pm MASS	

¡BIENVENIDOS!

DOMINGO 4to DE CUARESMA.

LECTURAS PARA EL DIA DE HOY:

1 Lectura: 2Cró 36,14-16.19-23: "La ira y la misericordia del Señor se manifiestan"

2 Lectura: Ef 2,4-10: "Estando muertos por los pecados"

Evangelio: Jn 3,14-21: "Para que el mundo se salve por él"

«Tanto amó Dios al mundo que dio a su Hijo único»

Hoy, la liturgia nos ofrece un aroma anticipado de la alegría pascual. Es el domingo que nos invita a una serena alegría. Dios quiere que estemos contentos. La psicología más elemental nos dice que una persona que no vive contenta acaba enferma, de cuerpo y de espíritu. Ahora bien, nuestra alegría ha de estar bien fundamentada, ha de ser la expresión de la serenidad de vivir una vida con sentido pleno. De otro modo, la alegría degeneraría en superficialidad y majadería. Podemos vivir siempre contentos porque Dios nos ama locamente, tanto que nos «dio a su Hijo único». Pronto acompañaremos a este Hijo único en su camino de muerte y resurrección. Contemplaremos el amor de Aquel que tanto ama que se ha entregado por nosotros, por ti y por mí. Y nos llenaremos de amor y miraremos a Aquel que han traspasado, y crecerá en nosotros una alegría que nadie nos podrá quitar.

ANUNCIOS

VIACRUSIS: Todos los Viernes a las 7:00 de la noche en San Juan. En Español. Acompañenos, todos son bienvenidos!!

RETIRO DE CUARESMA: La comunidad de San Joaquín – San Juan Evangelista te invitan a seguir tras las huellas de Jesús en la meditación del viacrucis. Retiro de cuaresma que se realizara el próximo **sábado 4 de Abril** de **9:30** de la mañana a las 4:00 p.m. Dirigido por la hermana Kathy. Lugar: Iglesia **San Juan Evangelista**. Habrá café, pancito y almuerzo. Este retiro esta preparado especialmente para usted, la familia y sus amigos. Para mayor información llamar a la señora Marina Ahumada Tel: 845-8314288, Olga Gonzáles Tel: 845-8313424 o Aída Caballero Tel: 845-8935194. No faltes, Te esperamos!!!

BINGO: El Grupo de la cofradía del sagrado corazón de Jesús los invita a participar de una noche de Bingo el Próximo sábado **2 de mayo** a las **6:30** de la tarde en **San Juan Evangelista**. Valor por persona \$5 dólares. Venga y juegue toda la noche, pase un momento divertido y gane fabulosos premios. Para Mayor información comuníquese con la señora Marina Ahumada al TEL: 845-8314288

PROGRAMACION PARA LA SEMANA SANTA 2009



CONFESIONES - Lunes 30 Marzo:

7:30 p.m. Celebración penitencial. St Joachim's

DOMINGO DE RAMOS - Domingo 5 de Abril: Bendición de las Palmas a las 12:00 antes de la misa.

TRIDUO PASCUAL - Jueves Santo, 9 Abril:

9:00 a.m Oración de la mañana - St John's.

7:30 p.m Misa de la cena del Señor, St Joachim's (Bilingüe)

8:45 p.m Reposo del altar. St Joachim's

VIERNES SANTO - 10 Abril:

9:00 a.m Oración de la mañana - St John's.

12:00 p.m Estaciones de la Cruz- St John's.

3:00 p.m Estaciones de la Cruz, seguido de la veneración de la Cruz- St Joachim's

4:00 p.m (Procesión en las calles de Beacon – comunidad Hispana - se empieza en St Joachim's y termina en St John's)

7:30 p.m Celebración de la pasión del señor (bilingüe) St John's

SABADO SANTO - 11 Abril:

9:00 a.m Oración de la mañana - St John's.

12:00 p.m Bendición de la Cena – St John's

5:30 p.m Misa de los niños – St John's

7:30 p.m Vigilia pascual – St Joachim's

DOMINGO DE PASCUA - 12 Abril:

7:30 y 10:30 a.m (Ingles) -St Jhon's

12:00 (Español) - St Jhon's

9:00a.m y 12:00 (Ingles) -St Joachim's

No hay misa de 6:00 de la tarde.

PEREGRINACION A LA BASILICA DEL SANTUARIO NACIONAL DE LA INMACULADA CONCEPCION:

Invitamos a Toda la comunidad a la Peregrinación a la Basílica del Santuario nacional de la Inmaculada concepción en Washington D.C en el Mes de Mayo, Mes de la Virgen María. Esperamos que podamos darle gracias a la virgen por su intercepción por que es un privilegio que la madre de Dios sea también madre nuestra. La peregrinación será el próximo **Sábado 30 de Mayo**, saliendo a las 6:00 a.m del parking de la Iglesia de San Juan. Valor por persona \$55 dólares, además tendremos un Tour al Monumento de Abraham Lincoln. Para mayor información llamar a la señora Crucita Arrollo al Tel. 845-4406311 o a la señora Marina Ahumada Tel.845-8314288.